

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Currently Amended) A knock down sawhorse comprising:

a rail having a pair of spaced apart rail notches disposed in a rail bottom, each rail notch being disposed proximate a corresponding rail end;

at least one side rail for parallel attachment to said rail for forming a platform on said knock down sawhorse;

a pair of legs each having a relatively narrow top and a relatively wide bottom, each leg having a leg notch disposed in the top thereof and sized for engagement with a corresponding rail notch and a spreader slot disposed beneath each leg notch;

a spreader having a pair of spaced apart spreader notches disposed in a spreader bottom, each spreader notch being sized for engagement with a corresponding spreader slot, the notches including lobed bottoms for facilitating assembly of said knock down sawhorse;

a pair of holes disposed in each of the rail, side rail and spreader, each pair of holes being spaced apart from one another an equal distance for enabling alignment of the holes with one another and corresponding spreader slots in two columns upon stacking of the rail, side rail, legs and spreader; and

a handle for extending through at least one of the hole columns for carrying the stacked rail, side rail, legs and spreader.

5. (Cancelled)

6. (Original) The sawhorse according to claim 4 further comprising two side rails for parallel attachment to said rail for forming a platform on said knock down sawhorse.

7. (Cancelled)

8. (Previously Presented) The sawhorse according to claim 4 wherein said handle comprises a cord and at least one dowel attached to one end of said cord, said dowel being sized for enabling passage through at least one of the hole columns.

9. (Previously Presented) The sawhorse according to claim 4 wherein said handle comprises a cord and two dowels attached to ends of said cord, said dowels being sized for enabling passage through each of the hole column.

10. (Cancelled).

11. (Currently Amended) A knock down sawhorse comprising:
 a rail having a pair of spaced apart rail notches disposed in a rail bottom, each rail notch being disposed proximate a corresponding rail end;
 two side rails for parallel attachment to said rail for forming a platform on said knock down sawhorse;
 a pair of legs each having a relatively narrow top and a relatively wide bottom, each leg having a leg notch disposed in the top thereof and sized for engagement with a corresponding rail notch and a spreader slot disposed beneath each leg notch;
 a spreader having a pair of spaced apart spreader notches disposed in a spreader bottom, each spreader notch being sized for engagement with a corresponding spreader slot, the notches having lobed bottoms for facilitating assembly of said knock down sawhorse;
~~at least one side rail for parallel attachment to said rail for forming a platform on said knock down sawhorse;~~

a pair of holes disposed in each of the rail, side rails, spreader and side rails, each pair of holes being spaced apart from one another and corresponding spreader slots for enabling alignment of the holes with one another in two columns upon stacking of the rail, side rails, legs, spreader and side rail; and

a handle for extending through at least one of the hole columns for carrying the stacked rail, legs, spreader and side rail.

12. (Cancelled)

13. (Cancelled)

14. (Previously Presented) The sawhorse according to claim 11 wherein said handle comprises a cord and at least one dowel attached to one end of said cord, said dowel being sized for enabling passage through at least one of the hole column.

15. (Currently Amended) The sawhorse according to claim 11 wherein said handle comprises a cord and two dowels attached to ends of said cord, said dowels being sized for enabling passage through each of the hole ~~column~~columns.

16. (Cancelled)